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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Commissioner:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

After the title please add the following:

--CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

This application claims priority of International application number PCT/AU00/01018, filed August 28, 2000, which in turn claims priority to Australian patent application number PQ 2469, filed August 26, 1999--.

IN THE CLAIMS

By this Amendment, Applicants are amending claims 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, and 21. Pending claims 1 to 21 follow.

1. An insecticidal or insect repellent composition including *Tasmannia stipitata* extract and an insecticidally effective oil selected from the group consisting of at least one petroleum oil, at least one vegetable oil, at least one fish oil and mixtures thereof.